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450100-03327**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

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 Serial No. : 09/904,317
 Filed : July 12, 2001
 For : ON-DEMAND IMAGE DELIVERY SERVER, IMAGE RESOURCE
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Dear Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.

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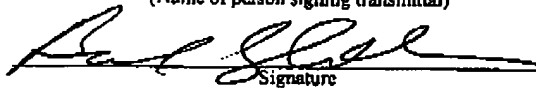
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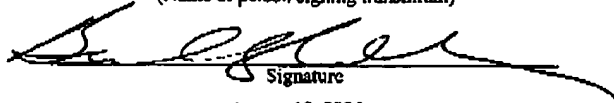
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Sir:

In response to the non-final Office Action mailed on May 17, 2006, having a
three-month statutory period for response set to expire on August 17, 2006, please amend the
above-captioned application as follows.

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Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims, which begins on page 3 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 12 of this paper.